GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4068
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SALARIES TO EMPLOYEES OF STATE GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
MONI KUMAR SUBBA

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Reserve Bank of India had latelyimposed a ban on payment of arrears of salaries in respect of Assam State Governments and other employees;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) the details of the arrears of payments of salaries to Assam state Government employees at the end of December, 2000; and

(d) the steps since taken to lift ban on payment of these arrears?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) & (d) As reported by the State Government, the salaries till the month of January, 2001 have been paid. The State Government has intimated that it will authorize payments as soon as the procedural and other aspects, in respect of opening the State treasuries is taken care of.